

**Hamilton Center**  
**PONDLESS HOCKEY TOURNAMENT**  
(NO PONDS, NO STRAW, NO WIND)  
**Friday, November 27<sup>TH</sup>, 2015**  
**HAMILTON CENTER – COLUMBUS, INDIANA**

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Hamilton Center and Columbus Parks & Rec invite you, your teammates, and your families to enjoy the experience at this year's 3 on 3 Pondless Hockey Tournament.  
We aim for a quality hockey and social event.

**TOURNAMENT AND ENTRY DETAILS:**

- Team Entry Fee is **\$55 for Adult team**, while **Youth is \$15 per player**, and is first-come, first-served. Entire team entry fee must be paid at time of registration.
- A minimum of four teams is required to run a division. The maximum number of teams per division will be determined by the number of teams entered in the overall event.
- Teams will consist of three to five skaters. All youth teams will be assigned by the Competition Committee from Bantam on down to Mite levels. Adult levels are team registrations.
- Each team is guaranteed three games during round robin play. Teams can expect to play all games on Friday. The tournament will start in the morning at 10:00a.m on Friday Nov.27th. Please make travel plans accordingly; no schedule requests will be accepted.
- Entry **deadline is Monday, November 23rd, 2015**. However, any division could be closed before this date depending on overall registration in the event.
- To reserve a spot in this tournament, call or e-mail Hamilton Center by Monday, November 23<sup>th</sup> 2015, at 812-376-2686, or [cfry@columbus.in.gov](mailto:cfry@columbus.in.gov)
- Age Divisions
  - **Youth:** USA Hockey Levels Squirt, Peewee, Bantam
  - **Adult:** Coed, Open (includes high school age players that do not qualify for Bantam)

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**TOURNAMENT RULES AND FORMAT**

**Game Rules**

- Players may only play on one team. Players cannot play for multiple teams in multiple divisions.
- All teams must have home (white or light) and away (dark) jerseys.
- Each game will consist of three (3) 6 minute running clock periods with one minute intermission between the first & second periods. A three minute warm-up will take place prior to the start of each game. Minimum number of players on a team is 3, maximum is 5. Teams must have 3 players at the start of each game. Teams need to be ready to play at their designated start time; if a team does not have three (3) players ready to play, they will be penalized 1 goal for every 2 minutes the game starts late.
- All goals must be scored from the attacking side of center ice.
- There will be no offside or icing.
- One referee will be used for each game, and penalties will be enforced. Any minor penalty called, such as tripping or slashing, will result in a goal for the non-offending team plus change of puck possession.
- Any major infractions called will result in ejection from the tournament with no replacement.
- Fighting is strictly prohibited. Any player that fights will be ejected from the tournament with no replacement and no refund.
- There will be no checking or body contact. A minor or major penalty will result if the referee deems it serious enough.
- There will be no slap shots. If the stick comes above the knee in a slap shot motion, it will be deemed a slap shot and result in a goal and a change of puck possession.
- There will be no raising the puck above the knees; pucks that are intentionally raised above the knees will result in a change of puck possession.
- Making contact with the puck using your stick above the waist will result in a change of puck possession.
- There will be no goalies or use of goaltending equipment.
- A player may not lay his/her stick, drop to his/her knees, or lay on the ice to protect the goal. Players must remain on their skates in front of goal. A goal for the non-offending team will result and change of puck possession.
- If the puck goes out of the playing area, the referee will determine who sent it out and give possession to the non-offending team at the point where the puck went out. The defending team must provide two stick lengths to their opponent upon reentry and play must start immediately on the referee's command (whistle).
- There will be a center ice face-off to start the game and every period. Otherwise, teams will be required to wait on their side of the red line for goals scored and penalties. Defensive teams can engage the offensive teams once the play starts moving up ice. The offensive team must move the puck up the ice quickly on the referee's command (whistle).
- Championship / Consolation Round: The top two point winners from each pool will play for the Championship. Third and fourth will play for the Consolation.
- Game Scoring: 2 points for a win, 1 point for a tie, 0 points for a loss
- Tie Breakers : Head to Head, Goals for / Goals against, Coin Toss

**\*THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR(S) RESERVES THE RIGHT TO MAKE ANY DECISIONS  
REGARDING TOURNAMENT RULES, FORMAT, ETC. FOR THE OVERALL GOOD OF THE EVENT.**

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**OFFICIAL REGISTRATION AND ROSTER FORM**

*Division (Circle One)*

**SQUIRT      PEE WEE      BANTAM      ADULT**

<b>Name</b>			
<b>Contact Address</b>			
<b>City</b>		<b>State</b>	<b>Zip</b>
<b>Contact Phone H</b>		<b>W</b>	<b>C</b>
<b>E-Mail (Required)</b>			
<b>How did you hear about this tournament?</b>			
<b>Payment Method: (Circle One)</b>	<b>Check</b>	<b>Money Order</b>	<b>Visa      MasterCard</b>
<b>Credit Card Number</b>			<b>Exp. Date:</b>
<b>Card Holder's Name:</b>			<b>Signature</b>
Make checks payable to <i>Columbus Parks and Rec</i>			
<b>Adult Team Members-(Print clearly)</b>	<b>DATE OF BIRTH</b>	<b>USA Hockey Registration Number*</b>	<b>Home Team</b>
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			

\* Youth players must be a member of USA Hockey. Adults do not need to be USA Hockey Registered.